

Docket No.: 50395-086

**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Takatoshi KATO

Confirmation Number: 2375

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Group Art Unit: 2877

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Examiner: Michael P. Mooney

For: OPTICAL TRANSMISSION LINE AND OPTICAL TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

## **REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action mailed June 17, 2004, pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.111: